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Re: The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings

To Whom It May Concern:

Arch Insurance Company, a Missouri corporation, represents The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings for its surety bonding needs. Arch has an A.M. Best rating of A+, is listed in the most recent Department of the Treasury Federal Register and is admitted in all 50 states.

Arch Insurance Company has provided bonding support to The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings since 2022. At the present time, Arch Insurance Company is in a position to consider single projects up to **\$2,500,000** within an aggregate limit of **\$6,000,000** for The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings. The statement of these values is neither a commitment nor a limitation of the bonding capacity of The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings. At the request of The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings, Arch Insurance Company will give favorable consideration to providing the required performance and payment bonds.

Please note that the decision to issue performance and payment bonds is a matter between The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings and Arch Insurance Company and will be subject to Arch Insurance Company's standard underwriting at the time of the final bond request, which will include but not be limited to the acceptability of the contract documents, bond forms and project financing. Arch Insurance Company assumes no liability to The Paint Doctor DbA Socium Coatings, third parties or to you if for any reason Arch Insurance Company does not execute said bonds.

Naturally, surety bond commitments are subject to continual underwriting reviews, and as such, the representations contained in this letter will expire 90 days from the date of this letter. This letter also requires that all business conducted underneath this approval is solely conducted domestically within the United States.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Will Siegfried".

Will Siegfried, AFSB
Executive Underwriter, Surety
ARCH INSURANCE COMPANY